

INTIMATIONS

THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE OF
 HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR,
 Admiral ROBEY, Commodore WATSON,
 Captain COLBURN, and OFFICERS of
 "H.M.S. "ADVOCATE."
 THE AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB
 OF THE ABOVE SHIP
 will give a
 PERFORMANCE
 in the
 THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL
 on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1st, 1877.
 The proceeds to be devoted to the above purpose.
 MRS. GREEN'S SNUG LITTLE
 BUSINESS."
 "URGENT PRIVATE AFFAIRS."
 "AREA BELLE"
 The Band will attend. To commence at 9 P.M.
 Reserved Seats: 2d; Admission 1s.
 Tickets may be had and Seats secured at
 Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co's., where a
 list of the Names can be seen.
 Hongkong, 22nd October, 1877. 1872
 INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.
 AN AMATEUR CONCERT.

will be given in
ST. ANDREW'S HALL, CITY HALL,
on
SATURDAY EVENING,
3rd NOVEMBER, 1877.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

OVERSURE (for two Flutes) "Athalie,"
MENDLSOHN.
S. HALL, Dr. CLOUTY, Mr. RENNELL, and
Mr. SANGSTER.
CHORUS: "Iris Melancholy," Arranged by G.
J. CRAMBE.
MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN LIEBESGATTEL.
Solo, "Fragaria alla Malinconia," Al. TRE-
SABIN (with Orchestral accompaniment
Violin, Violoncello, Harmonium, and
Piano).
Mrs. FENNES.
SOLO (Violoncello), "Variations," MEN-
DELSSOHN.
Mr. W. W. von BORNE.
PIANOFORTE, Solo, "Valsesnes," R.
SORKUM.
Mr. RENNELL.
CHORUS: "Der Jäger Abschied," MEN-
DELSSOHN.
MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN LIEBESGATTEL.

PART II.

OVERSURE (for two Flutes), "Sod und
Sangster," MENDLSOHN.
S. HALL, Dr. CLOUTY, Mr. RENNELL, and
Mr. SANGSTER.

E. PETERLIN.
MRS. ROBINSON.
CONCERTO. — MESSIAH, Opus 54, B.
SCHUMANN.
MR. KENNEDY and DR. CLOUTIE.
— QUARTETTE (Vocal).
MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN LIEBESREIHEL.
— SOLO (Bartons), Wangelisch, BOKOMANN.
— M. HINZ.
— Chorus. "In der Hermand," CARL WILHELM.
MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN LIEBESREIHEL.
Tickets 82 each, to be had at Messrs. LANE,
HASTINGS & Co.—A PLAN of the Exhibition
to be seen—only after **TUESDAY**, the 30th
October.
Doors open at 8.30 P.M., to Commence at
9 P.M.
Hongkong, 29th October, 1877. [1893

NOTICE.
WE have authorised MR. EDWARD
GEORGE to SIGN our FIRST by pro-
clamation.
NORTON & CO.
Hongkong, 27th October, 1877. [1893

WANTED, a BOOKKEEPER in a
GENERAL STORE and CHINESE
CULINARY. Good references required. Address,
Salary, &c. H. H. Amoy.
Amoy, 22nd October, 1877. [1893

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship
"OCEANTIC".
From San Francisco, &c., are hereby requested
to send in their Bills of Lading for Counter-
signature, and to take immediate delivery of their
Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will
be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and
expense.
G. B. EMORY, Agent.
Hongkong, 29th October, 1877. (1896)

BARB "STRATIMORE" FROM
KURACRAEE.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named
Vessel are requested to send in their Bills
of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter-
signature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel
will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk
and expense.
DOUGLAS LAPEAK & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd October, 1877. (1884)

BRITISH EAQUE "ELMSTONE,"
FROM LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per above Vessel
&c., are hereby requested to send in their Bills
of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter-
signature, and to take immediate delivery of their
Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel
will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk
and expense.
DOUGLAS LAPEAK & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, 23rd October, 1877. (1884)

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship
"RADNORSHIRE"
Having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby
informed that their Goods are being landed at
their risk and stored in the Godowns of Messrs.
H. Kier & Co., Doelish Street, whence if found
in Ward or Posta delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded to Shanghai
unless notice to the contrary is given before
10 o'clock to-day.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th
instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
H. KIER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 17th October, 1877. [1556]

BRITISH DARK "MELBEC" FROM
LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Yes-
sel are hereby requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the undersigned for Com-
mission, and to take immediate delivery of
their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel
will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and
expense.

ARNOLD KALBERG & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 15th October, 1877. [15154]

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

DONEY.
 For Amoy.—Per Maclan, to-day
 instant, at 11.30 A.M.
 For Malilla.—Per sailing ship,
 20th instant, at 2.30 P.M.
 For Amoy.—To-day, the 20th
 4.30 P.M.
 For Swatow, Amoy, and F

Yesso, to-day, the 29th instant, at 5 P.M.
 For Quinhon.—Per sailing ship
 29th instant, at 5 P.M.
 For Straits Settlements, Bomba
 —On Saturday, the 3rd proximo, a

MAILS BY THE FRENCH
The French Contract Packet
 be despatched from Hongkong
 on the 1st November with

through the United Kingdom
via Marseilles; to Saigon, Singapore,
Galle, Australia, New Zealand, Tahiti,
Aden, Seychelles, Réunion, Mauritius,
and Alexandria. This is the best route
for forwarding Correspondence to
St. Helena, and Ascension.
Letters may also be forwarded
this Packet. The postage to Ce-

prepaid. Such letters should be marked "Galle only"; they will go on for free if unpaid.

The following will be the hours of the Mails, &c.:-

WEDNESDAY, 31st instant.
5 P.M. Money Order Office closes.
Post Office closes except the NIGHT BOX, which is open all night.

THURSDAY, 1st November.
7 A.M., Post Office opens for sale of
Registry of Letters, and Postage
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10 A.M., Registry of Letters closes.
11 A.M., Post Office closes except
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11.10 A.M., Letters (but Letters
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MAILS BY THE ENGLISH
The English Contract Packet
will be despatched with the Mail
&c., on **THURSDAY**, the 8th No-
The following will be the hours
Mails, &c. —

4 P.M., the 31st be sent by agent's pages are
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WEDNESDAY, 7th November,
5 P.M., Money Order Office closes.
6 P.M., Post Office closes except the
which remains open all night.
THURSDAY, 8th November,
7 A.M., Post Office opens for the
Registry of Letters, and Post Office
apendence.
10 A.M., Post Office closes except

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	10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted
	a Late Fee of 18 cents extra
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MEDI.	to the United Kingdom via A
	Singapore, may be posted on ho
	with Late Fee of 48 cents extra
ON;	11.50 A.M., when the Mail is final

MAILS BY THE UNITED PACKET.
The United States' Mail Packet will be despatched on THURSDAY, November, with Mails for Japan, and the United States, which will be as follows:—
2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases.
2.30 P.M. Post Office closes.

2.30 P.M. Correspondence for Japan, States, or Union Countries only on board the Packet with Late Extra Postage, until

2.50 P.M. when the Mail is finally
The following rates of Postage paid in Hongkong Stamps. Prepayment compulsory in the cases marked * :—

U.S.	United States, Canada*, Vancouver and Fr. Edward's Is.*
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	Mexico.....	* 2
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	Cents).....	* 1
	Peru, Bolivia, Chili, Ecuador.....	* 1

West Indies (except as named above), Costa Rica, Honduras, New Granada, Nicaragua, Turk's Island, Venezuela (Registration 12 Cents).....*2
Any article found enclosed in or Book Packets (as silk scarves, will be confiscated.

STREET. COMMUNICATION WITH BATAVIA.
The Netherlands India Packet
sails fortnightly, and are fitted
for the outward P. & O. Mail from
Singapore for the Packet from C
fortnightly.

It follows that to forward
to Batavia with the least delay.

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In the S.W. Monsoon.
The English-Mail.
The French Mail.

In the N.E. Monsoon,
A Private Steamer a few day
English Mail.
The French Mail.

Many boxes of letters are received in the Office not sealed, that is to say, not fastened with sealing wax, but with the impression of a seal.

The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of enclosing a book or receipt with them. The latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box are those of the donor.

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SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS.
Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, commissioned Officers (but not Warships), Assistant Engineer, Gunners, or Carpenter), Army School

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- 1.—Not to exceed half an ounce; letters are allowed.
- 2.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, description must be stated in full and the Commanding Officer's name, with name of Regiment, or fail.
- 3.—If to a Soldier or Sailor, his position must be stated in full.

The attention of owners, agents, and
of steamers is drawn to the provisions of the
Post Office Ordinance, 1876, which
force on the 23rd instant.

Under the old Ordinance no notice was
required of the departure of a vessel
titled, nor of departures for Canton.

Notice is now required of any depositors with regard to sailing ships, the regulations practically remain in force, that no deposit be sent unless asked for.

Section XXV. requires that the flag be sent to the Post Office.

In the case of steamers plying regularly, notice of any change in the hour will be sufficient.

Steamer commanders are required to

The Postmaster-General takes this of calling the attention of firms to any such words as Despatches will A.M., added to the advertisement of illegal. Consignees' letters are excluded from passing through the Post Office. A person is allowed to make collection

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